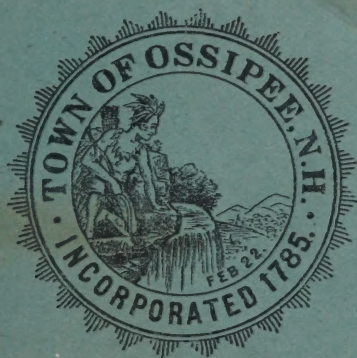


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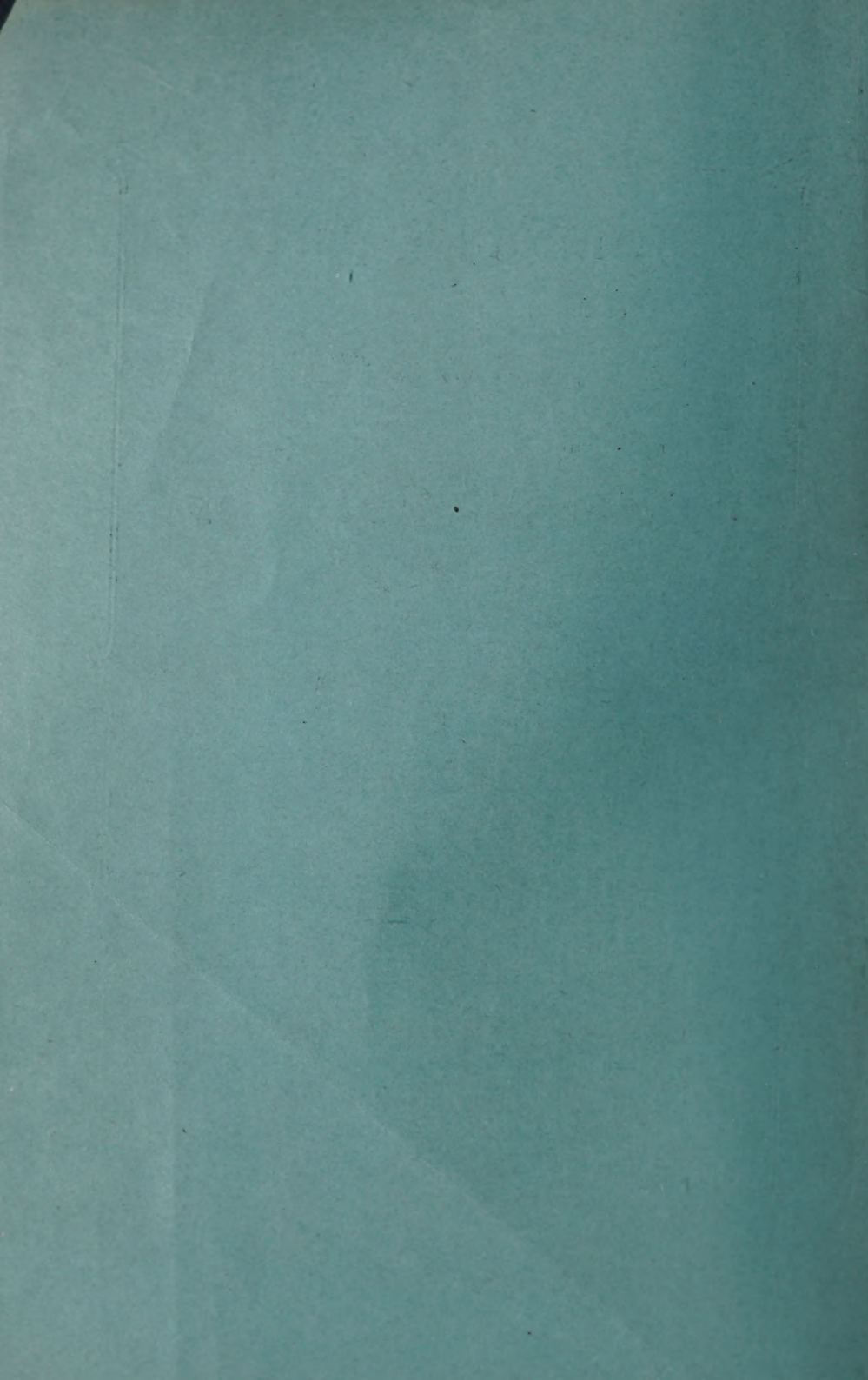


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ARTICLES IN THE WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN
MEETING.

First. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate to defray the expenses of the town.

Second. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairing highways and bridges, and make appropriations of the same.

Third. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for decorating the graves of soldiers.

Fourth. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to buy or lease land, and erect sheds thereon in which to store road machines, snow rollers and tools belonging to the town.

Fifth. To see if the town will vote to purchase one or more snow rollers, and appropriate money for the same.

Sixth. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to destroy the brown-tail moth.

Seventh. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to construct a sewer in the village of Centerville, and raise a sum of money for the same.

Eighth. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions in the law enacted by the present General Court, known as "An Act to provide State Aid for the Repairs of Highways," and appropriate money for the same.

Ninth. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on taxes paid early in the year.

Tenth. To choose Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Auditors, and all other town officers and agents for the year ensuing.

ARTICLES IN THE WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL SCHOOL
MEETING.

First. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

Second. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Third. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

Fourth. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

Fifth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the purchase of text books and supplies.

Sixth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the repair of school houses.

Seventh. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the support of schools in addition to the amount required by law.

Eighth. To see if the district will vote to unite with one or more towns for the purpose of forming a supervisory district, and raise money for the same.

Ninth. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees, and pass any vote relating thereth.

Tenth. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any matter embraced in this warrant.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Town of Ossipee:

The following is a true report of my receipts and disbursements as Town Treasurer for the year ending Feb. 15, 1906.

Money in the Treasury Feb. 15, 1905, \$146 06

RECEIPTS.

J. F. Sias, collector 1903,	388 65
J. F. Sias, collector 1904,	850 84
J. F. Sias, collector 1905,	9,224 08
Tom H. Brown, town clerk, dog license fees 1904,	45 20
Tom H. Brown, town clerk, dog license fees 1905,	166 07
State Treasurer, bounties,	73 25
State Treasurer, insurance tax,	9 75
State Treasurer, railroad tax,	347 61
State Treasnrer, savings bank tax,	1,037 61
State Treasurer, literary fund,	155 10
State Treasurer, high school tuitions,	5 28
County of Carroll, pauper bill,	43 85
State Board of License Commissioners,	54
A. J. Hodgdon, sup't of cemetery for 1902-3-4,	41 80
Harry L. Hill, pedler's license,	8 00
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	\$12,543 69

DISBURSEMENTS.

Breaking Roads,	\$ 938 36
Repairing Highways,	3,530 18
Repairing Bridges,	413 65
Miscellaneous Bills,	3,651 22
Damage to Sheep by Dogs,	27 50
School Funds,	2,960 53
Town Officers,	544 50
School District Officers,	125 00
Town Poor,	177 94
County Poor,	56 00
Balance in Treasury,	<hr/>
	118 81
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	\$12,543 69

Respectfully Submitted,

A. M. RUMERY, TREASURER.

SELECTMENS' REPORT.

To Albert W. Leighton and Herbert W. Hobbs, Auditors:

We herewith submit a report of our financial transactions as Selectmen during the past year, with our vouchers therefor, together with a statement of the financial condition of the town.

CHARLES A. WHITE,
L. E. MOULTON,
THOMAS NUTE,

Selectmen.

VALUATION.

Valuation of taxable property, April 1, 1905,	\$568,476 00
Four hundred twelve (412) polls,	41,200 00
	<hr/> \$609,676 00

APPROPRIATIONS.

State Tax,	\$ 990 25
County Tax,	1,726 54
Defray Town Expenses,	500 00
Highways and Bridges,	3,000 00
Amount set apart for permanent improvements on highways, etc., (State Aid Law, 1905),	576 00
Additional amount to procure State Aid for Highways,	288 12
To Decorate Soldiers' Graves,	25 00
Build Sheds for Snow Rollers and Road Machines,	200 00
To Purchase Fire Apparatus,	300 00
Text Books and Supplies,	250 00
School Money by Law with additional raised by town,	2,398 00
Library Tax,	69 90
	<hr/> \$10,323,81

RECEIPTS.

Cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1905,	\$ 146 06
Treasurers' Receipts,	12,397 63
	<hr/> 12,543 69
Total Disbursement,	12,424 88
Cash in Treasury,	<hr/> \$ 118 81

PAID FOR BREAKING ROADS.

G. M. Nason,	\$ 5 62
S. M. Robbins,	2 10
Carey Wilkins,	7 35
Erlin Wilkins,	11 70
C. L. Brown,	2 36
Frank P. Dore,	13 05
Forrest Boardman,	3 40
George F. Tasker,	24 60
Frank Drew,	2 02
Mott H. White,	3 45
C. L. Sanders,	1 80
J. W. Keefe	6 54
H. P. Harding,	2 37
J. H. Schultz,	85
W. S. Chase,	12 22
J. W. Nute, snowing covered bridge to Feb. 1905,	2 50
J. W. Nute, snowing covered bridge to Apr. 1905,	2 00
L. R. Nutter, right way across field,	5 00
Plummer Nichols,	11 25
George Littlefield,	11 25
C. M. Hammond,	9 00
A. A. Spear,	3 07
A. A. Spear,	6 08
S. L. Bennett,	4 04
S. M. Robbins,	1 20
C. M. Eldridge,	3 75
John F. Hurn,	25 50
John M. Ayers,	75
C. S. Demeritt,	5 85
John Hanson,	9 75
County of Carroll,	20 70
Charles W. Tibbetts,	1 50
Elden Bennett,	14 25
Mark H. Winkley,	39 29
Alden B. Moody,	1 87
T. Veno,	2 43

D. J. Merrow,	\$ 6 00
F. W. Abbott,	2 45
F. W. Abbott,	1 35
Daniel H. McKenney,	5 55
Otis McKenny,	3 09
L. E. Moulton,	66 00
J. N. Drew,	15 75
James W. Hanson,	1 95
George A. Neal,	4 95
John F. Hanson,	£ 30
S. S. Dore,	5 80
A. C. Nichols,	1 50
Leslie Moody,	1 57
George H. Eldridge,	5 14
J. R. B. Cook,	3 45
John Folsom,	1 50
Erlin L. Wilkins,	1 35
Ed. Andrews,	2 70
Carey Wilkins,	1 57
Moses P. Welch,	18 00
Wm. F. Goldsmith,	2 61
L. M. Lampson,	10 88
Ed. Andrews,	18 00
D. J. Merrow,	13 50
Ezra Eldridge,	1 65
Willie R. Eldridge,	5 25
L. B. Weeks,	1 08
J. E. Hodgdon,	15 90
Frank Berry,	1 75
Wm. H. Wiggin,	2 24
Geo. W. Fogg,	4 72
M. O. White,	21 37
John C. Ames,	9 22
Elbridge G. Snow,	2 85
Ahial Templeton,	2 55
John P. Goldsmith,	8 29
Daniel A. Goldsmith,	1 05

Daniel A. Goldsmith,	\$ 75
Fred Goldsmith,	1 05
Fred Goldsmith,	75
L. M. Lampson,	4 05
Arthur Colby,	1 20
Joseph Wasson,	1 20
Chas. W. Helme,	2 75
Chas. W. Helme,	2 50
Ira G. Beane,	3 72
W. B. Sceggel,	20 25
I. H. Gilman,	18 00
C. C. Brown,	90
G. O. Beane,	5 07
Charles A. Wiggin,	10 20
F. L. Abbott,	3 45
Darius Beacham,	4 42
Wm B. Hamm,	12 90
Joseph Heath,	75
C. H. Bickford,	3 30
A. E. Gibson,	2 25
L. M. Emery,	1 50
L. M. Emery,	4 95
John F. Hanson,	9 52
Oscar Woodman,	2 85
L. W. Brown,	4 05
L. W. Brown,	2 92
Fred E. Bean,	4 05
Frank A. Fernald,	10 23
C. L. Simmonds,	8 17
G. A. McIntire,	97
F. O. Stillings,	9 92
A. F. Clark,	7 50
George W. Fogg,	7 66
E. E. Haskell,	21 90
H. E. Young,	95
B. E. Bickford,	6 74
C. H. Bickford,	3 00

J. E. Heath,	\$ 52
A. P. Young,	9 45
Darius Beacham,	6 63
Darius Beacham,	2 92
George P. Wiggin,	10 20
Geo. O. Bean,	1 35
A. A. Spear,	9 90
C. L. Brown,	97
Everett Eldridge,	60
W. C. Ricker,	3 60
A. J. Hamm,	7 50
A. J. Hamm,	15 15
L. S. Willand,	1 57
Alpheus Eldridge,	1 05
W. S. Chase,	2 02
Alvah Davis,	4 83
Albert Smith,	12 83
A. E. Beacham,	4 20
J. Newman Drew,	1 00
John W. Pratt,	2 10
Charles W. Pratt,	1 06
John H. Pratt,	1 74
Leander M. Trott,	3 76
John F. Hurn,	2 92
C. E. Knox,	2 25
O. P. Hobbs, 1904,	5 25
O. P. Hobbs, 1095,	5 25
O. P. Hobbs,	2 25
Daniel H. McKenney,	1 70
Albert Bertwell,	4 35
Daniel Hammond, 1904-5,	10 00
N. P. Sias,	14 40
Daniel A. Goldsmith,	3 00
Thomas Nute,	3 60
F. L. Goldsmith,	1 80
F. L. Goldsmith,	1 57
A. A. Bertwell,	6 39
George Stover,	4 80

J. E. Canney,

\$ 1 20

\$938 36

SUMMER HIGHWAYS.

Frank Remick,	\$ 7 50
John C. Hodge,	1 05
A. C. Fall,	6 75
S. F. Abbott,	2 63
G. M. Nason,	7 80
C. M. Eldridge,	12 75
C. M. Eldridge,	9 75
C. M. Eldridge,	4 50
Earl T. Merrow,	2 25
Edwin Pike,	22 50
C. A. Templeton,	7 50
Everett Eldridge,	8 25
L. G. Merrow,	19 50
Earl Merrow,	4 88
L. G. Merrow,	24 45
Ed. Pike,	27 00
Jerry Wiggin,	14 20
Frank Drew,	3 00
George H. Eldridge,	3 00
Edwin Pike,	3 00
George Littlefield,	17 25
Calbut Williams,	12 00
Harry Nelson,	8 62
Edwin Pike,	7 50
George H. Eldridge,	16 50
Earl T. Merrow,	12 00
L. E. Moulton,	16 00
L. E. Moulton,	9 00
L. E. Moulton,	49 00
Sumner L. Bennett,	6 00
Everett Eldridge,	20 25
Fred Bean,	9 00
Fred Bean,	8 25

W. C. Ricker,	\$ 2 30
Edwin Pike,	10 50
E. T. Merrow,	16 50
Edwin Pike,	14 25
L. G. Merrow,	30 00
George Littlefield,	11 25
L. E. Moulton,	45 50
L. E. Moulton,	49 50
L. E. Moulton,	21 00
George Welch,	3 00
L. E. Moulton,	20 50
Frank Drew,	4 50
Herbert Pike,	3 75
Willie R. Eldridge,	9 00
Alpheus Eldridge,	6 00
George H. Eldridge,	19 50
Edwin Pike,	10 50
Fred Bean,	9 00
L. E. Moulton,	30 50
Osborn Eldridge,	16 50
Herbert Pike,	15 00
George H. Eldridge,	14 25
E. T. Merrow,	5 25
Elliott B. Snow,	3 00
E. E. Snow,	6 75
John M. Ayers,	1 05
J. F. Sias, collector, summer highway bills allowed on taxes,	1,186 17
J. L. Langley,	1 50
George F. Tasker,	56 25
George H. Eldridge,	30 00
Orren Eldridge,	19 50
Frank Drew,	21 00
H. J. Fortier,	1 88
L. E. Moulton,	49 50
Edwin Pike,	13 50
Edwin Pike,	15 00
Edwin Pike,	3 00

L. M. Emery,	\$ 14 25
Charles A. White,	14 67
L. E. Moulton,	36 00
Joseph F. Sias, collector,	
summer highway bills allowed on taxes,	795 14
W. S. Chase,	10 35
Frank S. Lord,	36 34
Grover C. Wiggin,	4 50
J. F. Sias, collector' highway bills allowed	
on taxes for 1905,	459 15
	<hr/> *\$3,530 18

*Included in the above highway bills is the sum of \$605 76 for grading the highway near Lord's Bridge, and the sum of \$345 65 to complete the new highway near Centerville.

REPAIRS ON BRIDGES.

George F. Tasker,	\$ 2 25
Frank Remick,	£ 25
J. W. Nichols	2 50
Bert N. Hodge,	1 05
C. M. Eldridge,	10 50
D. W. Merrow.	5 25
The Emery Waterhouse Co., cable wire rope	
for Lord's bridge,	6 56
L. E. Moulton,	20 80
George H. Roles,	14 25
H. W. Nichols,	2 50
L. E. Moulton,	21 00
Orren D. Clough,	17 70
Wm. H. Wiggin,	47 26
George H. Eldridge,	6 75
Geo. W. Bent & Co.,	39 04
Wm. H. Wiggin,	39 00
Daniel A. White,	4 92
S. J. Thompson & Son,	17 54
S. J. Thompson & Son,	11 21
S. J. Thompson & Son,	2 00

S. J. Thompson & Son,	\$22 04
S. J. Thompson & Son,	16 04
S. J. Thompson & Son,	5 41
Chase & Willand,	15 26
Plummer A. Nichols,	8 25
Wm. B. Hamm,	5 55
Everett Shortridge,	7 20
George F. Tasker,	4 50
W. H. Wiggin,	1 00
A. J. Hamm,	25 66
Orren Eldridge,	5 25
H. W. Nichols,	5 00
S. O. Huckins,	8 96
Scott L. White,	1 50
S. S. Dore,	6 70
	<hr/> \$413 65

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Edson C. Eatman, order blanks,	\$ 1 90
H. W. Hobbs, printing ballots,	5 00
H. W. Hobbs, printing annual report,	45 00
Frank Remick, sawing wood,	2 38
Nute High School, tuition for Carroll P. and Lisle Moulton and Marion E. White,	18 00
E. C. Eastman, blank books and stationery,	9 35
E. C. Eastman, surveyor's books,	5 00
John Gilman, dynamite,	3 25
J. W. Chamberlin, appropriation soldiers' graves,	25 00
O. E. Drake, damage to horse, harness and wagon on bridge near H. R. Dore's,	25 00
J. W. Chamberlin, and others fighting forest fires,	37 70
John F. Hurn, for two flag poles and rope for Ossipee school district,	10 60
George Roles, moving road machine,	1 50
Standard Fire Extinguisher Co. for fire Extinguishers,	300 00
C. E. Smart, library tax,	69 90

Nute High School, tuitions for	
Carroll P. Moulton and Marion E. White,	\$ 12 00
Henry Evans, & Co., dynamite,	16 75
S. O. Huckins & Co., shovels,	1 00
Daniel Abbott, blacksmith work,	2 25
I. L. Pineo, blacksmith work,	22 85
S. M. Robbins, painting signs,	3 00
H. W. Hobbs, printing tax bills 1902-3-4-5,	12 00
Geo. Tasker, fighting fire 1904,	1 50
Geo. Tasker, breaking drag,	4 00
S. M. Robbins, lettering fire extinguishers,	2 60
Solon A. Carter, state tax,	990 25
E. L. Mills, county tax,	1,726 54
Blanche L. Pineo, recording inventory,	6 00
Joseph W. Roberts, viewing proposed Canaan highway,	5 00
Tom H. Brown, reporting births and deaths to State, agreeably to Chapter 12, Laws of 1905,	44 50
F. W. Hurn, repairing snow roller and road machine,	3 25
Nute High School, tuition for Carroll P. Moulton, and Marion E. White,	12 00
W. B. Sceggel, fighting forest fires,	1 50
Daniel Abbott, blacksmith work,	4 12
H. C. Carter, powder,	30
R. S. Abbott, sawing wood,	1 50
Alonzo Stillings, wood,	1 00
Edson C. Eastman, record book for use of town clerk,	7 00
Edson C. Eastman, order book for selectmen,	1 91
Frank Weeks, balance for retainer and services for years 1904-5-6,	75 06
O. D. Remick, blacksmith work,	14 30
Francis H. Lord, fighting fire,	6 75
Amos Eldridge, fighting fire,	1 50
A. M. Rumery, treasurer, cash paid for postage, etc.,	2 00
A. M. Rumery, services establishing county pauper,	2 00
A. F. Abbott, hardware,	3 05
E. W. Hodsdon, supplies for fire extinguishers,	16 20

C. E. Knox, repairing snow roller and lumber for same,	4 50
O. P. Hobbs, cash paid for freight on stone roller from Conway and return,	2 80
S. O. Huckins & Co., drain pipe,	9 12
S. O. Huckins & Co., hardware, etc.,	7 16
S. O. Huckins, & Co., drain pipe,	17 84
Dr. E. B. Andrews, reporting births and deaths,	4 75
Charles A. White, cash paid for use of town,	23 14
Tom H. Brown, reporting marriages births and deaths,	9 75
J. E. Canney, repairing road machine,	1 15
E. W. Hodsdon, reporting births and deaths,	7 75
	<hr/> \$3,651 22

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

A. L. Hodsdon,	\$24 00
George P. Wiggan,	3 50
	<hr/> \$27 50

TOWN OFFICERS.

Albert W. Leighton, auditor 1905,	\$ 5 00
Frank K. Hobbs, auditor 1905,	5 00
Levi W. Brown, balance services for year 1904,	7 00
Ira G. Beane, dog constable 1904,	26 00
Lester G. Buswell, services as supervisor to Mar. 13, 1905,	10 00
Herbert E. White, services as supervisor to March 11, 1905,	10 00
J. W. Keefe, services as supervisor 1905,	10 00
W. S. Chase, services as ballot clerk,	2 50
Daniel Abbott, services as moderator,	10 00
W. H. Lord, ballot clerk 1904,	4 00
Charles A. Wiggan, election inspector Nov. 1904 to Mar. 1905,	5 00
Geo. P. Wiggan, moderator Mar. 1905,	5 00
W. S. Chase, election inspector 1905,	2 50

A. M. Rumery, treasurer 1905,	\$ 30 00
E. W. Hodsdon, election inspector for 1904-5,	7 50
Chas. A. White, selectman,	120 00
Tom H. Brown, town clerk,	40 00
Thomas Nute, selectman,	90 00
J. F. Sias, collector in full for 1903,	20 00
J. F. Sias, collector in part 1904,	45 00
J. F. Sias, collector in part for 1905,	90 00
	<hr/> \$544 50

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS.

A. M. Rumery, treasurer,	\$ 10 00
E. W. Hodsdon, as chairman school board and book agent,	60 00
Charles A. Wiggin, member school board,	50 00
Tom H. Brown, school district clerk,	5 00
	<hr/> \$125 00

SUPPORT OF TOWN POOR.

S. O. Huckins, & Co., supplies for Jos. Cole's family,	\$ 5 00
Newell P. Sias, shoes for Jos. Cole's children,	4 00
A. Stillings, supplies for Jos. Cole,	3 00
A. F. Abbott, supplies furnished Wentworth Nichols,	42 85
A. F. Abbott, supplies furnished Thomas Goodwin,	62 00
Eugene F. Brown, supplies furnished Jos. Cole,	61 09
	<hr/> \$177 94

SUPPORT OF COUNTY POOR.

Mary Ann Watson, support of Minnie M. Stewart,	\$ 10 00
N. W. Smilie, keeping tramps,	2 25
Mary Ann Watson, support of Minnie M. Stewart,	10 00
Mary Ann Watson, support of Minnie M. Stewart,	12 00

Mary Ann Watson, support of	
Minnie M. Stewart,	\$10 00
J. W. Chamberlin, keeping tramps,	11 75
	<hr/> \$56 00

SCHOOLS.

A. M. Rumery, treasurer, school	
money in part,	\$1,000 00
A. M. Rumery, treasurer,	
school money in part.	300 00
A. M. Rumery, treasurer, supplies for books, etc.,	250 00
A. M. Rumery, treasurer, school money in part,	1,000 00
A. M. Rumery, treasurer, dog license fees	
for 1904,	157 43
A. M. Rumery, treasurer, school money in full,	98 00
A. M. Rumery, treasurer, literary fund for 1905,	155 10
	<hr/> \$2,960 53

ABATEMENTS FOR PUBLIC WATER.

John H. Brown, 1903-4-5,	\$ 9 00
Vesta A. Hall,	1 50
Herman P. Dore,	3 00
Wentworth Canney, (two tubs,)	6 00
Lemuel Jones,	3 00
I. E. Trott,	3 00
John F. Thompson,	3 00
John Hurn,	3 00
Alonzo Stillings,	3 00
James F. Hilton,	3 00
Charles A. Wiggin,	1 50
S. S. Dore,	3 00
W. B. Seeggel,	3 00
Charles L. Sanders,	1 50
Mrs. M. E. Merrow,	3 00
George L. Whiting,	1 50
Jesse H. Jackson,	3 00
	<hr/> \$ 54 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES, YEAR 1903.

Frank J. Davis, out of town,	\$ 1 58
George F. Davis, out of town,	1 58
John Emmicks, out of town,	1 58
John Eldridge, paid in Tamworth,	1 58
Hiram Hodsdon,	70
Josiah A. Hobbs; deceased,	2 37
George S. Philbrick, out of town,	1 58
Mrs. E. J. Eastman,	38
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	\$ 11 35

ABATEMENTS OF TAXES, YEAR 1904.

Carolina Gray,	\$ 1 87
Mrs. Almon J. Nichols, sold out before taxed,	2 34
Ed. Nichols,	1 56
Lewis Ramie, out of town,	1 56
George W. Wheaton, taxed twice,	2 50
Minnie Fray,	62
Charles L. Gilman, out of town,	1 56
Josiah A. Hobbs, deceased,	1 56
Frank Martin, out of town,	1 96
Edwin Bowley, out of town,	1 56
Joseph B. Cole,	1 97
George T. Davis, out of town,	1 56
Hiram Eldridge, poll over 70,	1 56
James Merrow, over taxed,	3 12
A. J. Hodgdon, horse died,	1 56
Frank Eldridge, horse died,	1 56
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	\$28 42

ABATEMENTS OF TAXES, 1905.

Albert Lattee, over tax,	\$3 12
Joseph Gridley, over tax,	9 70
Charles A. Abbott, taxed twice,	1 76
George E. Chapman, horse died,	73
Carroll County, on account of fire,	5 28
Hiram Eldridge, poll tax over 70 yrs.,	1 76
Arthur L. Hodsdon, over tax,	35

Peter Lampron, over tax,	88
Moses Nichols, deceased,	2 11
T. Veno, over 70 yrs.,	1 76
Rev. Geo. W. Christie, out of town,	1 76
S. M. Robbins, poll tax over 70,	1 76
Charles E. Nichols,	1 76
Ed. Nichols,	1 76
Hiram Hodsdon, out of town,	70
James Blake, out of town,	1 76
Isaac Buswell, over tax,	2 05
Mrs. Jacob F. Brown, taxed twice, included in store property,	4 40
Joseph B. Cole,	1 76
George T. Davis, out of town,	1 76
Woodbury Eldridge, taxed twice,	1 76
John Eldridge, paid in Tamworth,	1 76
Mrs. E. J. Eastman,	42
Israel H. Gilman, poll tax over 70,	1 76
A. L. Hodsdon, taxed to Stephen Emery,,	1 76
Josiah A. Hobbs, deceased,	1 76
Andrew Johnson, out of town,	1 76
Land and Buildings in porsession of Stephen Jackson, taxed twice,	\$ 5 28
Asa Pray, soldier poll,	1 76
Thomas Glesson, out of town,	1 23
R. H. Moore. & Son, timber cut off,	21 12
Mary Gage Marston,	53
Charles W. Sevrence, taxed to George A. Neal,	7 92
Tyler Welch, no such person,	1 76
Chauncy W. Thompson, paid in Lynn,	1 76
James Welch,	2 29
Lewis J. Milliken, horse died,	2 46
Brownwell & Abbott, $\frac{1}{2}$ taxed to L. A. Abbott,	1 32
O. P. Hobbs, timber cut off,	4 46
	<hr/> \$109 79

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS.

Breaking Roads,	\$ 938 36
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Repairing Highways,	\$3,530 18
Repairing Bridges,	413 65
Miscellaneous Bills,	3,651 22
Damage to Sheep by Dogs,	27 50
School Funds,	2,960 53
Town Officers,	544 50
School District Officers,	125 00
Town Poor,	177 94
County Poor,	56 00
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	\$12,424 88

FINANCIAL STANDING.

ASSETS.

Cash in treasurer's hands,	\$ 118 81
Due from J. F. Sias, collector for 1904,	400 00
Due from J. F. Sias, collector for 1905,	1,423 28
Due from Carroll County,	56 00
Land bid off for taxes by town as for report of 1903 as reported by selectmen of that year,	17 19
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	\$2,015 28

LIABILITIES.

School District, balance of dog license fees,	\$ 138 47
F. P. Adams land damage as per report of 1903,	*25 00
F. P. Adams, and P. W. Brown, land damage, as per report 1903,	*10 00
Mrs. Loud, guardian, land damage as report 1903,	*10 00
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	\$183 47

Damage referred to above was for land taken
by the selectmen of 1902, for Roland Park Road.

Balance in favor of town,	\$1,831 81
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The town holds in trust, as trustee under the will of Susan F. Young, pass book No. A8916, of Strafford Savings Bank, deposited April 24, 1900, amount of deposit, \$50 00, and accrued interest.

NOTE.

At the March meeting, 1905, the sum of \$864 12 was raised to meet the requirements of the law in recuring State Aid in the construction of highways, which sum has not been expended for the reason that the State Engineer failed to supervise its expenditure.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Money in the Treasury Feb. 15 1905,	\$ 15 57
Received of the Town, money required by law,	1,398 00
Received of the Town money raised by vote,	1,000 00
Money raised by vote for supplies,	250 00
Money from dog License fees of 1904,	157 43
Literary fund from the state,	155 10
Town of Effingham, tuitions,	5 00
E. W. Hodsdon, books sold,	3 87
E. W. Hodsdon, lumber sold,	7 00
Total receipts,	<u>\$2,991 97</u>

PAID TEACHERS OF FIRST TERM.

Charles G. Wiggin, Chickville,	\$ 84 00
F. Ethel Hurn, Fogg's Ridge,	84 00
Lester G. Buswell, Granite,	96 00
Myrtie Thompson, Lake,	84 00
Harriet R. Colomy, Moultonville,	108 00
Josie Pike, Mountain,	102 00
E. D. Christie, Ossipee,	108 00
Vila Sanders, Ossipee Center,	24 30
F. E. Leavitt, Ossipee Center,	79 20
Irma T. Davis, West Ossipee,	70 00
Flora W. Hobbs, West Ossipee,	14 00
Cora Heath, Ossipee Valley,	84 00
Roberta G. Bean, Water Village,	72 00
	<u>\$1,009 50</u>

SECOND AND THIRD TERMS.

Joseph Pike, Brown's	\$ 98 00
Bertha Hodge, Chickville,	91 00
F. Ethel Hurn, Fogg's Ridge,	70 00
Minnie Hurn, Fogg's Ridge,	28 00
Lester G. Buswell, Granite,	112 00
Myrtie B. Thompson, Lake,	105 00
Charles G. Wiggin, Moultonville,	126 00
L. L. Farnham, Mountain,	120 00
Etta Mason, Ossipee,	126 00
M. E. Hodsdon, Ossipee Center,	126 80
Alice J. Hobbs, Ossipee Vallay,	84 00
Irene Huse, West Ossipee,	84 00
Alice J. Hobbs, West Ossipee,	28 00
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	\$1,198 80

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS.

L. G. Buswell, paid for cleaning house,	\$ 5 15
J. F. Robinson, paints,	32 00
D. C. Heath, labor,	6 25
E. U. Buswell, labor,	14 25
Anna Nichols, cleaning house,	2 50
L. Doe, cleaning house,	2 00
F. E. Sawyer, labor,	12 13
A. M. Webster, labor,	5 25
J. F. Hilton, labor,	18 75
S. M. Robbins, labor,	7 00
S. J. Thompson, & Son, lumber,	56 91
Albra Fogg, labor and money paid out,	2 50
E. F. King & Co., paints and varnish	12 77
Charles Price, labor,	3 00
S. O. Huckins & Co., merchandise,	9 19
C. W. Tibbetts, labor,	14 50
A. F. Abbott, merchandise,	14 73
Dorothy Eldridge, cleaning house,	3 00
Chas A. Wiggin, labor,	4 00
Plummer A. Nichols, labor,	6 25
C. L. Corner, labor,	4 50

F. E. Sawyer, labor,	12 76
Chas. G. Wiggin, labor,	2 50
S. O. Huckins & Co., shingles,	35 53
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SUPPLIES.

Isaac Walker,	\$ 3 00
E. W. Babb & Co.,	28 81
Rand McNolley Co.,	43 40
Ginn & Co.,	12 93
E. E. Babb & Co.,	33 60
H. W. Hobbs,	2 50
Charles A. Wiggin, money paid out,	13 88
American Book Co.,	50 00
C. E. Brewster,	16 26
E. W. Hodsdon, money paid out,	15 31
J. F. Sias, merchandise,	8 23
	<hr/> \$227 92

WOOD AND FITTING.

Chaster Loring, fitting,	\$ 3 00
D. J. Merrow, wood for Moultonville,	24 62
A. A. Spear, wood for Chickville and Lake,	39 50
Sumner L. Bernett, wood and fitting,	6 00
S. J. Thompson & Son, wood and fitting,	6 00
Earl Knox,	5 05
John F. Hurn, wood for Granite,	19 50
J. N. Drew, wood for Ossipee Valley,	7 25
D. A. White, wood,	4 00
Charles A. Wiggin, wood for Water Village,	6 00
Frank S. Lord, wood for 1904-5,	19 70
S. G. Garland, wood for West Ossipee,	6 00
J. C. Ames, wood for Foggs' Ridge,	11 25
	<hr/> \$157 87

TRANSPORTATION.

Belmont E. Bickford,	\$ 65 00
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Total Receipts,	\$2,991 97
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Teachers,	\$2,208 30
Paid for Supplies,	227 92
Repairs,	287 42
Wood and fitting,	157 87
Transportation,	65 00
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	\$2,946 51
Money in Treasury.	\$ 45 46

A. M. RUMERY, TREASURER,

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Another school year has closed, and we are able to report that the schools have made good progress. The teachers, generally, have labored well and successfully. The attendance has been good but not what it should be. Truancy has been broken up, but there are a large number of absences that could be prevented by the parents taking more interest in their children's welfare.

There has been considerable sickness in some districts which has interfered with the schools.

We have had only 26 weeks school this year as we have not received any State Aid. It behooves all interested in education to see that sufficient money is appropriated to provide at least 30 weeks of school.

The matter of district supervision of schools should receive the thoughtful attention of every voter and parent.

Parents should take more interest in the schools; visit them often and get in closer touch with the teachers. By working together more could be accomplished in the school, and less complaints made.

Ossipee may well be proud of her school houses. We

doubt if any town of its size in New Hampshire has better ones.

The ceilings of three houses have been sheathed this year. and three houses need shingling and painting the coming year.

If we had a suitable school building, we should recommend that a grammar school be established. This, also, requires your thoughtful attention.

Urging all parents to attend the school meeting, we remain your obedient servants,

E. W. HODSDON,

C. A. WIGGIN,

ALBRA FOGG,

School Board.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

OSSIPEE, N. H., FEB. 15, 1906.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Ossipee for the year ending Feb. 15, 1906, certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer, Selectmen, Treasurer of School District and School Board of said town, and find them correctly footed and proper vouchers on file for each and every item.

ALBERT W. LEIGHTON,

HERBERT W. HOBBS,

Auditors.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

TREASURER DR.

Balance in the Treasury Feb. 15, 1905,	\$16 78
Received of Town of Ossipee,	69 90
	<u>\$86 68</u>

TREASURER CR.

C. A. White, rent for year 1905,	\$25 00
Reta M. Nichols, tending library,	12 75
D. J. Tasker, five magazines,	5 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, 26 books,	28 07
Freight,	50
Hanson & McDuffee, office chair,	5 00
	<u>76 30</u>
Cash on hand to balance,	\$10 36

CHAS. E. SMART, TREASURER.

OSSIPEE CEMETERY.

1904.

Superintendent Dr.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1904,	\$30 57
Cash from sale of lots,	24 00
Cash from use of tomb,	7 00
Cash from care of lots,	9 50
	<u>\$71 07</u>

Superintendent Cr.

Cash paid for labor,	\$18 25	
Cash paid for paint,	40	
Cash paid for loam,	50	
Cash paid for grass seed,	12	
A. J. Hodgdon, superintendent,	10 00	
		<u>\$29 27</u>
Cash to balance,		\$41 80

A. J. HODGDON, SUP'T.

Jan. 1, 1905.

1905.

Superintendent Dr.

Cash from three lots sold,	\$36 00
Cash from use of tomb,	7 00
	<u>\$43 00</u>

Superintenenent Cr.

Cash for lock,	\$ 25	
Painting fence,	1 00	
Care of Cemetery,	7 00	
		<u>8 25</u>
Cash on hand to balance,		\$34 75

J. F. SIAS, SUP'T.

Jan. 1, 1906.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Name of School.	No. of Term.	Length of Term	Teacher.	Wages per Month	No. of Scholars.	Av. Attendance	Reading.	Spelling.	Pennmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Composition	Drawing.
Brown's and Water Village Fogg's Ridge	1	12	Roberta G. Beane	34	8	7	8	8	7	6	6	5	5	5				6
	2	14	Josephine Pike	23	10	9	10	10	10	8	8	7	5	3	1	3	3	7
	1	12	F Ethel Hurn	28	8	7	8	7	7	5	3	3	3	3	1	3	3	3
	2	10	" "	28	13	11	13	10	9	9	6	6	3	3	3	3	3	3
Granite	3	4	Minnie Hurn	28	11	9	11	11	8	11	3	6	3	3	3	3	3	3
	1	12	Lester G. Buswell	32	14	11	32	14	12	2	10	10	6	12	2	2	6	6
	2	10	" "	32	12	10	12	12	10	9	8	4	8	8	1	1	4	4
	3	4	" "	32	2	8	9	7	7	7	6	4	5	5	1	1	5	5
Lake	1	12	Myrtie B Thompson	23	23	17	26	26	21	21	7	2	7				7	7
	2	14	" "	23	18	15	18	18	15	18	14	6	6				6	6
Mountain	1	12	Josie Pike	34	39	21	39	36	39	29	16	12	10					
	2	14	Lizzie Farnham	34	37	31	37	36	34	22	12	4	12					
Moultonville	1													12				
	2	14	Charles G. Wiggin	36	34	27	34	34	28	24	21	16	12				14	14
Ossipee	1	12	Euphemia D Christie	36	27	23	27	27	27	11	6	9	13			1	1	6
	2	10	Etta F. Mason	36	30	23	30	30	30	27	9	18	6	3	1	7	19	19
	3	4	" "	36	27	26	27	27	27	24	8	17	6	10	1	7	18	18
	1	12	E Forrest Leavitt	36	25	18	25	25	25	21	21	16	16	6	5	5	16	16
Ossipee Center	2	14	Mary E Hodsdon	36	18	16	25	25	25	22	20	10	12	18			16	16
	1	12	Cora E Heath	28	25	12	25	25	25	24	12	12	15				15	15
Ossipee Valley	2	14	Alice J. Hobbs	28	14	16	14	14	14	14	10	18	2				8	8
	1	12	Irma L Davis	28	22	12	22	20	18	16	16	10	4	3			10	10
	2	12	Irene Huse	28	22	18	22	22	22	22	13	13	13	13	4	1	13	13
	3	2	Alice J Hobbs	28	20	19	20	20	20	19	11	11	11	11			12	12
Chickville	1	12	Chas G Wigwin	28	13	10	13	13	12	11	10	10	5		1			
	2	14	Bertha Hodge	26	9	8	9	9	9	6	6	6	6	6			6	6

VITAL STATISTICS.



BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF OSSISPEE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1905.

Date, 1905	Place of Birth	Name (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Name of Mother	Parents' Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
			Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No of Child								
Jan 19	Ossipee				Stillb'n	11	W	W	Ossipee	Laborer	Ossipee	Ossipee	46:39	
Feb 13	"	Howard	"	"	Living	13	"	"	"	"	Ctr H. bor	Cornish Me	39:38	
Feb 14	"		"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	Ossipee	Conway	35:21	
Mar 2	"		"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"	Newfane Vt	Nova Scotia		
Mar 4	"		"	"	"	3	"	"	"	"	Ossipee	Ossipee	28:26	
May 26	"	Melvin	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	29:25	
May 5	"		"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	35:24	
June 2	"		"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	39:22	
July 19	"		"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	Tuftonboro	"	39:38	
Aug 24	"		"	"	"	9	"	"	"	"	Ossipee	Ossipee	42:30	
Sept 12	"		"	"	"	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	38:22	
Oct 1	"		"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"	Ossipee	"	35:16	
Oct 13	"	Velma	"	"	"	1	"	"	Conway	Sawyer	Ossipee	Adams	33:23	
Nov 11	"		"	"	"	4	"	"	Ossipee	Laborer	Ossipee	Effingham		
										Section hand				

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. TOM H. BROWN, TOWN CLERK.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF OSSISPEE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1905.

Date, 1905.	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each Color of each	Occupation	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. 1st. and 2d.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
Jan 29	Ossipee	Alston B Welch Stella Wiggins	Ossipee "	26 " W Farmer- 20 " Maid	Ossipee "	Ossipee "	Jeremiah Welch Ellen Welch Wm H Wiggins	Ossipee " "	Farmer Housewife Millman	1 1	George Ingram Clergyman
Apr 12	"	Fred Hurn Florence E Loring	" "	28 " Blacksmith 21 " Maid	Charlestown Ossipee	Charlestown Ossipee	Sophia Eldridge John F Hurn Jennie M Smith	Freedom " "	Housewife Farmer Housewife	1	G W Jones Farmer
Apr 18	"	Frank O Stillings Katie M Hoyt	" Tuftonboro	44 " Farmer 30 " Maid	Alton Tuftonboro	Alton Tuftonboro	Ellen S Loring Julia J Chapman Lydia P Wentworth	Ossipee Merrickville Ont "	Butcher Housewife Farmer	1	Clergyman H F Hodgdon
May 23	"	Walter H Young Margaret E Monroe	Ossipee Everett Mass	36 " Farmer 31 " Maid	Ossipee Nova Scotia	Ossipee Nova Scotia	George W Sawyer Christine Gate Joseph Young Hannah Chick	Tuftonboro Brookfield Ossipee	Housewife Housewife Farmer	2 2	Justice of Peace Alonzo Stillings
June 7	"	Chas H Merrow Emma S Walker	Ossipee "	38 " Clerk 24 " Maid	Ossipee "	Ossipee "	Hannah Jenness James Merrow Caroline Wingate	Nova Scotia Ossipee Wakefield	Farmer	1	Clergyman J Jas Merry
June 18	"	Louis W Nichols Hattie Haddock	" "	20 " Laborer 18 " Maid	" "	" "	Arvilla Walker Chas Nichols Hattie Giddens	Ossipee Ossipee Ossipee	Housekeeper Deceased Housekeeper	1 1	Clergyman Geo E Chapin
July 15	"	Eben Eldridge Lucy M Berry	" Wolfeboro	31 " Millman 33 " Maid	" Wolfeboro	" Wolfeboro	Geo Haddock Julia Hill Henry Eldridge Emily Nichols	Ossipee Bartlett Freedom Ossipee	Deceased Housewife	1 1	Clergyman Alonzo Stillings
							John Berry Olive Chesley	Salem Mass Alton	Deceased	1	Clergyman

MARRIAGES—Continued.

Aug 16	Ossipee	Earl T Merrow	Ossipee	21 W	Laborer	Clifton Me	Daniel Merrow Ella Silsby Abial Templeton	Ossipee Aurora Me " "	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife Housewife Housewife Housekeeper	2 1 3 4 2	Geo E Chapin Clergyman G W Jones Clergyman L A Jones Clergyman	Ossipee Ossipee Laconia Ossipee
Aug 24	Wells	Flora B Templeton Martin V Ricker	" "	20 65	Maid Farmer	Ossipee "	Effie Williams Hiram S Ricker	Ossipee Berwick Me	Farmer Farmer	1 3	Clergyman G W Jones	Ossipee Laconia
Sept 24	Ossipee	Maria A Hammond John B Glidden Amelia Stokes	Wolfeboro Ossipee "	62 70 41	Housekeeper Farmer Housewife	Parsonsfield Me Effingham Ossipee	Irene Chick Susan Brown Jerry Glidden Betsey Glaz- Daniel McKenny	Ossipee Tamworth Ossipee Effingham Madison	Farmer Farmer Farmer Farmer Housekeeper	2 4 2	Clergyman L A Jones Clergyman	Ossipee
Oct 13	Tamworth	George A Farnham Lilla M Plant	" "	30 18	Brakeman Maid	" Tamworth	Maria Norris Eben C Farnham Eunice Moody Joseph Plant Nellie Plant	Ossipee Wakefield Tamworth		2 1	Willard S Frye Clergyman	Tamworth
Dec 14	Ossipee	Edward F Smith Grace M Eldridge	Newfield Me Ossipee	36 16	Painter Maid	Newfield Ossipee	Hambal Smith Almira M Whitchee Woodbury Eldridge Dora Eldridge	Newfield Me " "		1 1	Lemuel A Jones Clergyman	Ossipee
July 20	"	Frederick Woodman Ida Bean	" "	44 15	Laborer Maid	Etna Me Ossipee	Quincy Woodbury Lydia B Dyer Fred Bean Anna Bean	Etna Me " "		1 1	Sewell W Abbott Justice of Peace	Wolfeboro

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF OSSISPEE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1905.

Date—1905.	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth		Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death
			Years	Months	Days	Birth	Place		Father	Mother			
Jan 1	Ossipee	Mary Moulton	82	9	23	Portsmouth					Jermiah Marston	Mary Hobbs	Cerebral Congestion
14	"	Belinda Hodsdon	73			Ossipee			Ossipee		Silas Welch	E Templeton	Induenza
19	"	Baby Welch				"			"		Stephen Jackson	"	Stillborn
19	"	Aver A Jackson	43			Dover			"		Wm B Hamm	M L Mitchell	Induenza
20	"	Hiram R Hamm	132	8		Ossipee		Student	"				Cronic Brights Disease
Feb 19	"	Hannah York	72			"					Adam T Brown	Alice Hipson	Illio Colitis
19	"	Benjamin O Brown	75			"					Robert Ryer	"	Cancer lower Jaw
25	"	Eva L Ryer	16	10		Nova Scotia		Housewife	Nova Scotia		J P Hilton	A Hemingway	Pelvic Abscess
25	"	Jennie Fall	30	2		Ossipee					Wesley Gardner	Mary Patch	Uremia
Mar 21	"	Beatrice E Gardner		9		Roxley Mass					Robert Ross	Ediza Drew	Cyanosis Infantile
Apr 10	"	Samuel G Ross	71	8		Newfield Me		Shoemaker	Newfield Me		Frank Nichols	Addie Hipson	Bronchitis
20	"	Moses C Nichols	26	16		Ossipee		Laboret	"		Wilbur Hitchcock	Alice Hipson	Typhoid Fever
May 18	"	Austin C Hitchcock	24	11		Ossipee					Robert Ryer	Anna Bean	Bronchitis
19	"	Chesley R Ryer	14	12		Nova Scotia			Nova Scotia		Moses Brown	Mary Lampson	Old Age
25	"	Betsy J Willard	84	7		Wolfeboro					Thomas Scott	Mary W Hanson	Hepatitis
June 5	"	Rosanna E Loring	67	12		Fairlee Vt		Housekeeper	Scotland		John C Dore	Lewis Hall	Meningitis
15	"	Sarah E Dore	62	4		Danvers Mass		Housewife			William Sanders	M Roberts	Old Age
17	"	Obed Sanders	88	9		Strafford		Farmer	Rye		Joel W Durgin	E Tibbetts	Appoplexy
17	"	Naomi Goodwin	48	8		Eaton			Eaton		J S Hobbs	Charles J Hart	Pulmonary Phthisis
26	"	Josiah A Hobbs	41	2		Ossipee			Ossipee				Acute Gastritis
July 9	"	Lillian E Hart	41	2		Boston Mass			Boston				Tuberculosis
July 30	"	James B French	53	11		"			"				General Paresis
Aug 19	"	Charles L Simmons	62			Charlestown		Carpenter	Acton Me		Jehiar Simmons	Almira Lowe	Uremia
Sept 9	"	James Merrow	80	10		Ossipee [Me					Daniel Merrow	Sarah Garland	Tuberculosis
20	"	Daniel McGinnis	66			Scotland B I		Farmer					Fracture of Femoral Neck
30	"	Amos Nichols	86	7		Ossipee		Laborer	Ossipee		James Nichols	Susan Davis	Obstruction of Bowels
Nov 10	"	John B Moulton	68			"		Farmer	"		John Moulton	Clara Davis	Oedema of Lungs
14	"	Baby Doe		3		"		Driver	"		Frank B Doe		Valvular disease of heart
17	"	Ira Wentworth	68			Jackson			"			Dora Davis	Meningitis
26	"	Cyrus Welch	4	5		"			"				Paralysis Agitans
30	"	Simon P Wallace	74	3		Ossipee		Farmer	"		Walter S Welch		Dysentery
Dec 3	"	Frances A Mcneve	63	9		"		Housekeeper	"		Sam'l Wallace		Heart disease
28	"	Ezra D Whitehouse	75	11		Ossipee		Farmer	"				

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